Joint Power Projection from the Seabase Panel

The Army Role in Seabasing

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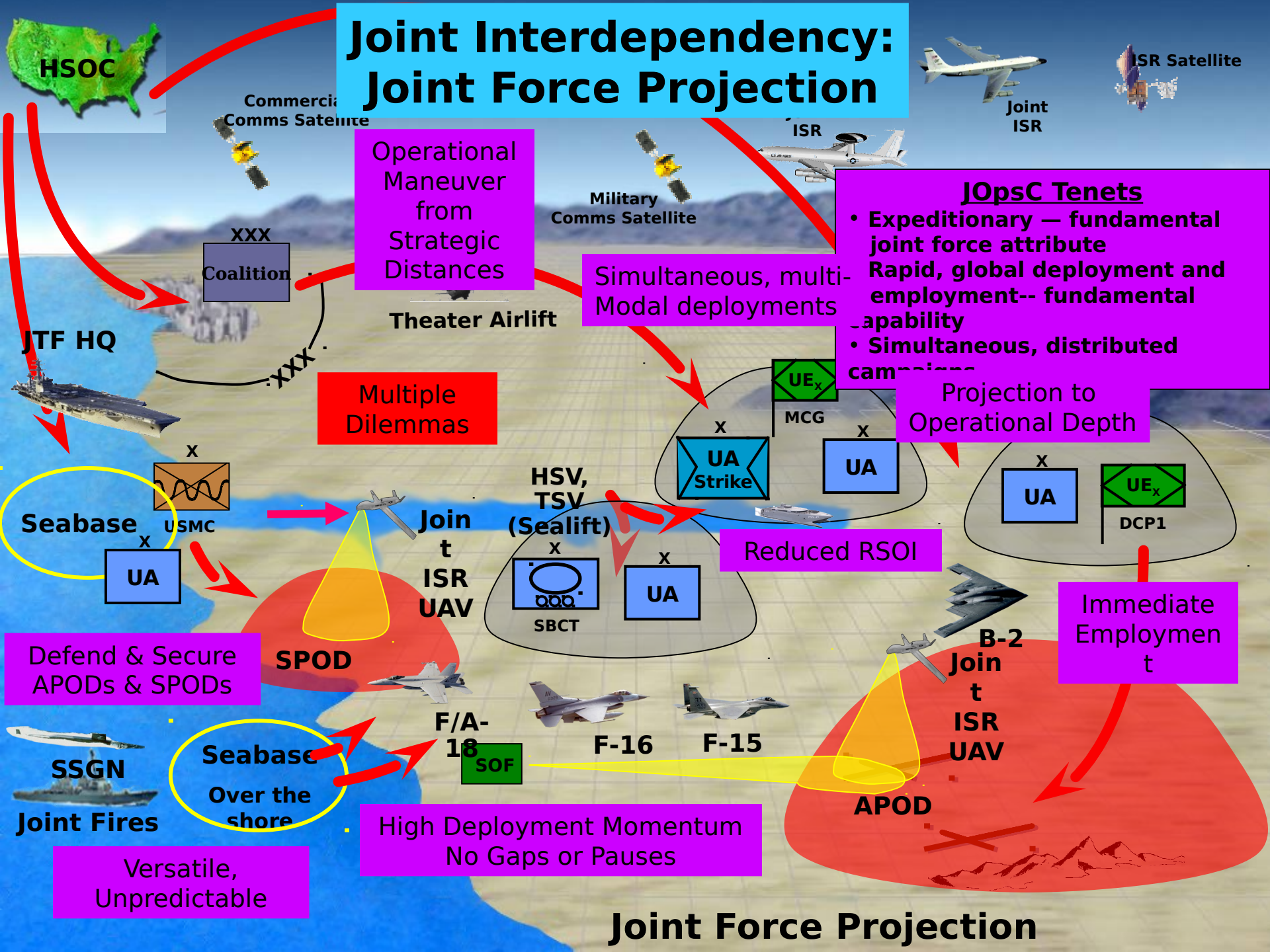

Joint Interdependency:
Joint Force Projection
HSOC
Commercial Comms Satellite
Military Comms Satellite
ISR
Joint ISR
ISR Satellite
Operational Maneuver from Strategic Distances
Simultaneous, multi-Modal deployments
Theater Airlift
JOpsC Tenets
• Expeditionary — fundamental joint force attribute
Rapid, global deployment and employment-- fundamental capability
• Simultaneous, distributed campaigns
XXX
Coalition
XXX
JTF HQ
Multiple Dilemmas
Projection to Operational Depth
UEx
MCG
X
UA Strike
X
UA
X
UA
X
UEx
DCP1
X
USMC
Seabase
X
UA
Join t ISR UAV
HSV, TSV (Sealift)
X
SBCT
X
UA
Reduced RSOI
Immediate Employment
Defend & Secure APODs & SPODs
SPOD
B-2
Join t ISR UAV
F/A-18
F-16
F-15
SOF
SSGN
Joint Fires
Seabase
Over the shore
APOD
High Deployment Momentum
No Gaps or Pauses
Versatile, Unpredictable
Joint Force Projection

Army Perspectives on Seabasing

Joint Seabasing:

- **Offers improved strategic responsiveness and operational agility into anti-access environments.**

- **Potential exists for expanding and improving Army force projection and sustainment.**

- **Critical to view entire future joint force projection challenge:**
  - **-- Throughout the course of an entire campaign.**
  - **-- Deliberate comparison with other force projection concepts/capabilities (SDHSS, HLVTOL/SSTOL)**

- **Army will continue collaboration to develop and mature concepts for force projection and associated capabilities.**

Army Role in Seabasing/ JFC Viewpoint

- **Expands employment options for the JFC/provides ability to project Forces into non-traditional and austere Theaters.**

- **Closes the gap between initial entry and follow-on Forces/enables Joint Force to more rapidly conduct decisive operations.**

- **Provides scaleable power projection option to the JFC: retain select functions at sea — sustainment, fire support, medical, maintenance — reduces ashore footprint.**

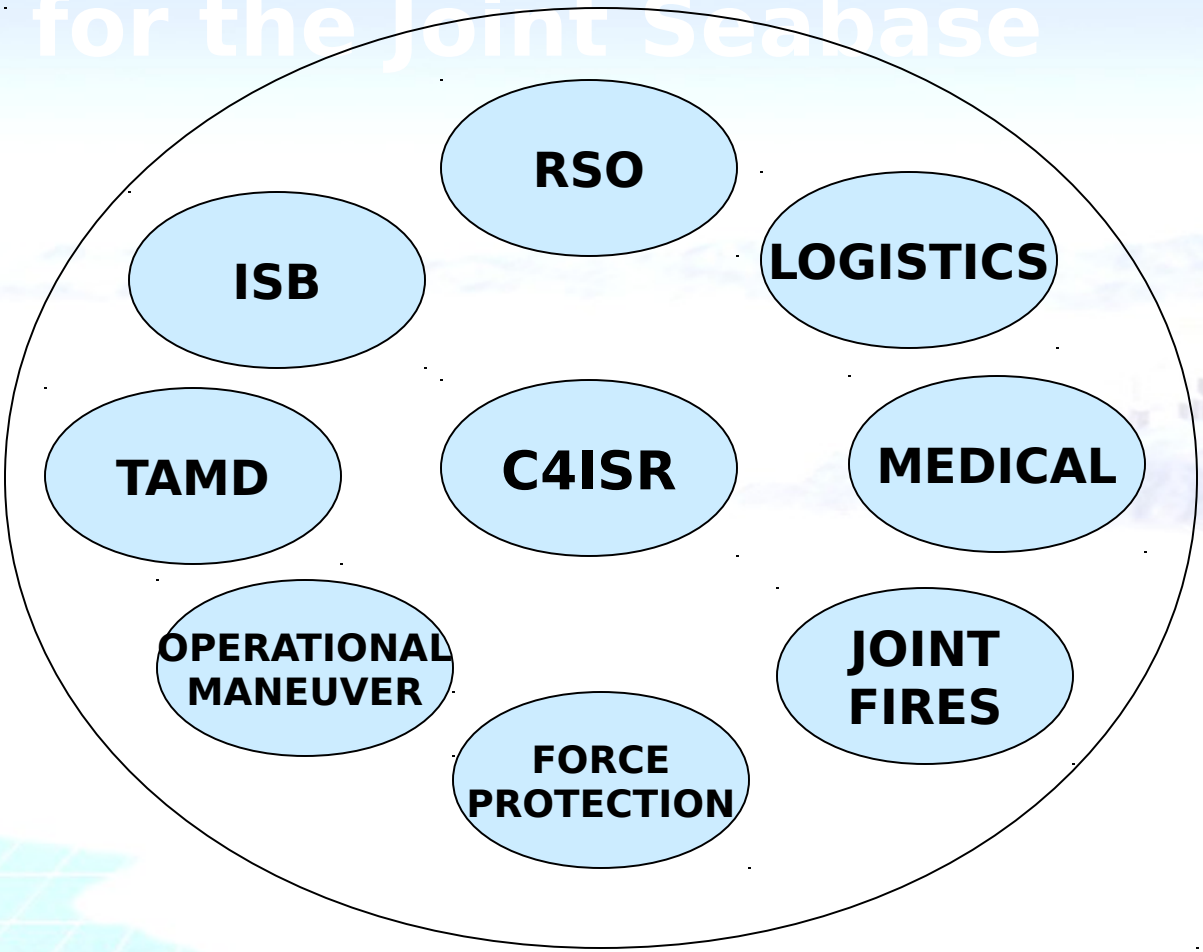
- **Enables the JFC to project and sustain wider variety of forces for immediate response.**

- **Creates access for employment, provides support and protection to forces during entry operations.**

- **Enables vertical/horizontal maneuver of mounted Forces**

Army Operational Attributes

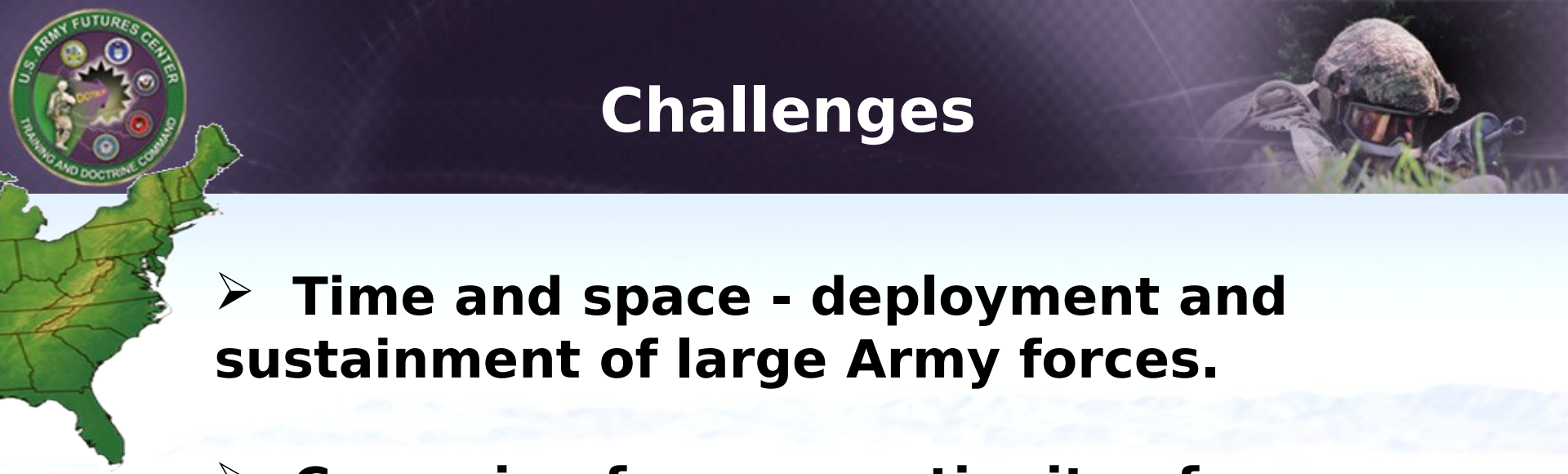
for the Joint Seabase



Critical to include consideration of SDHSS and HLVTOL/SSTOL in concept

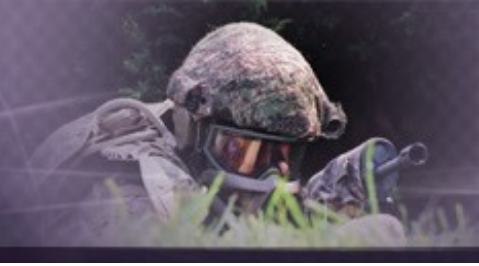
RSO – Reception, Staging and Onward Movement
ISB – Intermediate Staging Base
TAMD – Theater Air and Missile Defense
C4ISR – Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance and

Challenges



- **Time and space - deployment and sustainment of large Army forces.**
- **Campaign focus – continuity of operations once forces are ashore and beyond.**
- **Vulnerability of sea platforms to attack and natural effects.**
- **Interoperability – compatability of equipment, information systems, processes and procedures.**

Summary



Seabasing …

- ***… has the potential to improve joint Force projection and sustainment.***
- ***… provides the JFC expanded options for employment of Forces.***
- ***… must be developed in the context of a joint campaign.***